## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT BETWEEN	)	
NCPR, INC. AND SOUTH CENTRAL RURAL	)	CASE NO.
TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE CORPORATION,	)	2006-00304
INC.	)	

## ORDER

On June 6, 2006, NCPR, Inc. ("NCPR") and South Central Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. ("South Central") submitted to the Commission their joint request for expedited approval of an agreement for facilities-based network interconnection for transport and termination of telecommunications traffic. Their agreement was negotiated pursuant to the Telecommunications Act of 1996, 47 U.S.C. §§ 251 and 252.

The Commission has reviewed the agreement and finds that no portion of the agreement discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement. The Commission also finds that the implementation of this agreement is consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity.

The Commission, having been otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that the request of NCPR and South Central for expedited approval of their proposed agreement is granted and the agreement is hereby approved effective the date of this Order.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 27<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2006.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

**Executive Director**